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Dear Dr. Bahner:

The family of the late President Kennedy shares in the concern of the Government of the United States of America that the personal effects of the late President which were utilized as evidence before the Warren Commission, as well as certain other materials relating to the assassination of the late President, should be deposited, safeguarded and preserved in the Archives of the United States as materials of historical importance. The family desires, and the Government, we know, is determined, to prevent the undignified or sensational use or display of these materials or any other use which would tend in any way to dishonor the memory of the late President or to cause unnecessary grief or suffering to the members of his family or those closely associated with him.

In consideration of the mutual interest of the family of the late President and of the Government of the United States in achieving the aforesaid objectives, the

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